



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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RE: MUR 3774
The Honorable Phil Gramm

Dear Mr. Ginsberg:

On March 6, 1995, the Federal Election Commission notified Senator Phil Gramm of an original and supplemental complaint alleging that he had violated certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"). On April 6, 1995, you submitted a response to the complaints on behalf of Senator Gramm.

Following an investigation, and after considering the circumstances of the matter, the Commission determined on November 30, 1999, to close the file as it pertains to Senator Gramm. The file will be made public within 30 days after this matter has been closed with respect to all other respondents involved. You are advised that the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A) remain in effect with respect to all respondents still involved in this matter. The Commission will notify you when the entire file has been closed.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Dawn M. Odrowski".

Dawn M. Odrowski
Attorney